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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

BUELOW *et al.*

Serial No. 09/515,582

Filed: February 29, 2000

For: *METHODS FOR ENHANCING
GRAFT SURVIVAL BY
MODULATING HEME
OXYGENASE ACTIVITY*

Examiner: Li, Qian J.

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b)

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Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b) and M.P.E.P. § 713.04, and in response to the Interview Summary accompanying the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed 8 October 2003, Applicant hereby provides the following written summary of the recent telephonic discussions between Applicants' attorney and Examiner Janice Q. Li in reference to the above-identified application.

Thursday, September 25, 2003: The Examiner contacted Applicant's representative attorney, suggesting amendments to the pending claims to allow the case to issue. Specifically, the Examiner proposed the deletion of "about" in Claims 28 and 29. Applicant's attorney informed the Examiner that he would consult with the client on the suggested changes.

Tuesday, September 30, 2003: Applicant's attorney responded to Examiner Li's proposed modifications to the claims, agreeing with the suggested amendments to expedite prosecution of the case and permit the application to issue. Applicant's attorney also

indicated that PTO-1449 forms listing the references already presented to the Examiner in prior responses would be submitted. Following submission of the references, the Examiner stated that the list of previously presented references would not formally be made of record but would be placed into the prosecution file.

As the due date of 8 November 2003 for submitting this written summary occurs on a Saturday, this communication is timely filed on the next business day, 10 November 2003. Please direct any inquiries in connection with this application to the undersigned attorney at (415) 544-7015.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: 11/10/03

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